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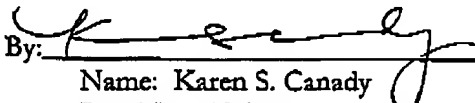
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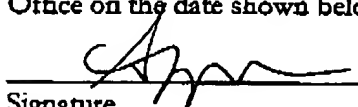
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- ☒ Transmittal sheet, in duplicate, containing a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8.
- ☒ Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 including Declaration of Dieter C. Gruenert and Exhibits A and B.
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for 1 month.
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2003, which was made final, please enter the following amendments in the above-identified application.

Submitted herewith is a request for a one month extension of time, with fee, extending the period for response from June 26, 2003, to July 26, 2003. Because July 26, 2003, fell on a Saturday, this response is timely filed on the next business day, Monday, July 28, 2003.

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